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ASSAULT CASE AT WESTERLY

Judgment for Defendant, Charles Blackwell, Hotel Guest, Sued By Arthur R. Davis, Jr., a Waiter—Latter's Counsel Gives Notice of Appeal—Funeral of Robert J. Bowers—Daniel B. Sullivan Promoted to New Haven.

Charles Blackwell, age 21, a student at Yale, and his enough to make the football team or the college racing crew, was before Judge Oliver H. Williams in the Third District court Friday. He was remanded to answer a suit for damages, brought by Arthur Robinson Davis, Jr., for an alleged assault committed at the Ocean house, Watch Hill, where the plaintiff was employed as a waiter, and the defendant was a guest during the summer.

Davis told the court that he was

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Davis' salary was \$25 a month with extras in the way of tips about \$10 a month, and by reason of Blackwell's attacks upon him, he had lost his summer from July 24 to date. He said that Walters Brandywine and White saw the assault and had agreed to be witnesses in the case. They gave him their address, but they could not be located. J. W. Fletcher was another witness and he left his address at 113 Winter street, but it was ascertained that no such address existed. Blackwell, according to the witness, said he was not accustomed to have niggers wait on him. After completing his breakfast work, Davis came to Westerly and consulted with his counsel, A. T. Q. Ledwidge. When he returned to the Ocean house he was told that Head Walter Thompson and his private secretary, White, wanted to see him. He signed the pay check and was told to go. He declared that he never told the head waiter, two weeks before, Blackwell assaulted him that he wanted to go away.

Attorney Ledwidge took the witness stand and testified that in his possession, which he would gladly submit to the court, or Samuel H. Davis, counsel for defendant, a signed statement by James W. Fletcher, which was in detail of the assault, signed for the present month, and just before

Fletcher left for New Haven. He had been unable to get in touch with the witness, therefore could not have him in court to testify.

Charles Anderson Blackwell testified that he was from Missouri, that St. Louis was his home town, that he had spent part of the summer at Watch Hill, and that he was a student at Yale university. He was at breakfast, July 24, with his sister, Mrs. Herrick, her two boys and their governess, and that Davis was the waiter at their table. He rattled the dishes and Mrs. Herrick told him he must not do that, and he felt that perhaps it would be well to wrap them in velvet. Blackwell told Davis that he was not used to much talk and warned Davis not to give him any impudence. Shortly afterward he rattled the syrup pitcher and Mrs. Herrick told him again that he must not rattle the dishes. He made some reply in an undertone.

Witness told Davis that he was not in the habit of taking lip from niggers, and that he must not serve at the table at lunch. Then Davis informed Blackwell that he was not bossing him, and that he was not accustomed to talk to niggers. Blackwell said that in his mind he was not accustomed to talk to niggers, and that they were nearly all negroes, and that they had waited on him nearly all his life. Blackwell said he did not strike Davis with his first, nor touch him with his hand, but might possibly have touched him with a newspaper he held in his hand. He said that he was saying to Davis, "He said he knew that Davis was a poor waiter, but did not recall any impudence until the morning of July 24. On other occasions he had given some back talk, but that was to be expected."

In response to queries from Attorney Ledwidge, Blackwell said he was shaky then, just as he was shaky on the witness stand. He said that he did not strike Davis, and would stick to that statement, but might have touched him with the newspaper. Immediately after the run-in, witness said he made complaint against Davis to the hotel management. Blackwell said he had nothing to do with keeping any of the witnesses for the plaintiff away from the court.

Allen M. Thompson testified that he had been head waiter at the Ocean house, nineteen years, and that his home was in Brooklyn, N. Y. He saw Mr. Blackwell leave the Herrick table at breakfast time on July 24, but did not see him again. He said that John P. Champlin, manager of the Ocean house, said he had an agreement with employees that they were to remain as low as their services were required, but not later than Sept. 15.

Mr. Blackwell recalled, testified that the Herrick table paid Davis in tips \$2 a week, and the thought in mind to give him a lump sum at the end of the season.

After arguments by Attorneys Davis and Ledwidge the court gave judgment for the defendant with costs. Attorney Ledwidge gave notice of appeal to the superior court.

At the annual meeting of representatives of the twenty-five divisions comprising the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which was held in Providence, the session being held in Providence, Michael F. Kelly, of Newport, president; Nicholas A. Mulvey, of Providence, vice president; John F. Conway, of Providence, secretary; Patrick Conroy, of Central Falls, treasurer. The next convention will be held in Newport. The convention was opened with prayer by Most Rev. Peter B. Blessing, who also presided with the delegates. National Secretary Thomas J. Matthews, Past Secretary Philip J. Sullivan, and Mrs. Ellen Ryan Jolly, past president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H.

At the annual session of the Ladies' Auxiliary, the same general theme was spoken to the parent organization favored the women's section with addresses. The officers chosen for the ensuing year are: Miss Elizabeth T. Doyle, of Providence, president; Mrs. E. E. Burke, of Westerly, vice president; Mrs. J. J. Burke, of Westerly, secretary.

socket, treasurer; Miss Margaret T. Mulvaney, of Providence, secretary.

The funeral of Robert J. Bowers, a cottage owner at Pleasant View, whose wife was from Westerly, was held from his home in Millville on Thursday morning. There was a solemn high mass at 10 o'clock, officiated by Rev. John J. McLaughlin, pastor of the church, celebrant; Rev. John J. Leonard of Orange, Mass., a former pastor, deacon; Rev. Thomas P. Smith, pastor of St. Paul's church, Blackstone, sub-deacon; Rev. T. J. A. Fitzgerald, of Woonsocket, lector; James Buckley, and John McNamara, and Michael Buckley, overseers of the grave prayer was offered by Rev. John McLaughlin, and a sextet that sang the music of the mass, rendered a selection.

Daniel B. Sullivan, manager of the Mohican store in Westerly, since the spring of 1914, has been promoted to be manager of the Mohican store in New Haven and will assume the duties of the position. Joseph J. Discol, formerly of Norwich, and in charge of the meat department, will succeed Mr. Sullivan as manager of the local store. Sullivan began his service with the Mohican company in New London, his old home town, seven years ago, and then came manager of the meat department. He was transferred to a like position at the Norwich store. He supervised the opening of the store in Westerly and has been manager ever since.

Shows were frequent on the closing day of the Kingston fair and in consequence there were lulls in the festivities, but the rain did not interfere materially with the annual music festival. The Rhode Island Veterans Firemen's association was water is among their most valued allies. The muster was the real old-fashioned type, the red-shirted fire ladders drawing the old-time hand engines. Before the reel racing and spurring contests there was a parade and the prize went to the Providence association for being the best-looking organization in line. There were three entries in the hose reel contest but the Phenix company did not come to the scratch. The Rhode Island Veterans Firemen's association of the Pocomassett team, the former winning in 41 seconds, the Pocomassett time was 41 3/4 seconds.

Those hand engines were entered in the spurring contest: Pocomassett Engine company, of Knightsbridge; Watchmaker Fire Engine company, East Providence; East Greenwich Veteran Firemen's association, Narragansett Fire Engine company, North Kingston; Providence Veterans Firemen's association, of Pawtuxet; No. 1, of Pawtuxet; and Westerly Veteran Firemen's association, of Westerly.

The weather conditions were unfavorable for good spurring, as the stream was not only against the wind, but against the rain as well. Only two of the machines were able to throw water on the paper. They were the Kingsbridge and Star of Westerly, second, with stream of 147 feet 2 1/4 inches, and Star of Westerly, second, with stream of 147 feet 2 1/4 inches, and Star of Westerly, second, with stream of 147 feet 2 1/4 inches.

There were three horse races held under very unfavorable conditions, but they were pulled off according to schedule. Results: 2.21 trot, purse \$300—The starters were Water Crest, Grant McGreggor second, and Alvin W. third. 2.24 1-4, 2.24 1-2, Grant McGreggor second, and Alvin W. third. 2.19 trot, purse \$300—Starters Prince Rupert, Betty C., and Lames S. Orr, and they finished in that order. Time: 2.24 1-4, 2.24 1-2, 2.24 1-2.

There were only two starters in the named race, purse \$200. Prince Nelson won the race. Time: 2.24 1-4, 2.24 1-2.

COLCHESTER

Quarantine Not to Be Raised Until October 1—Vote on License Desired—Death of Francis Champion.

It was voted by the special town meeting Tuesday evening not to raise the quarantine in town until October 1. It is possible that the schools in town will not open until October 28. Miss Florence Carver is spending a week's vacation in London and New Britain. She is clerk in the local post office. Miss Ruth Snow is substituting for her.

Want Vote on License Question. A petition with over 60 signatures has been handed the town clerk, that the town vote on the license question at the October election.

Charles H. Dawley was at the Berlin fair Wednesday.

John F. Slater has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Julia Burns, in East Hampton.

Delegates to Democratic Convention. William H. Davenport, George V. Cavanaugh, Charles H. Strong, and Henry O. Merrill were elected delegates to attend the democratic state convention.

Dwight and Lucy Wickwire are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. D. W. Hakes for a few days.

Matt Tinker of Montville was a recent visitor in town.

Mrs. A. T. Van Cleve of this place and Miss May Clark of East Hartford were visitors in Norwich Thursday.

Miss Katherine Shea has returned from a week's visit with friends in East Hampton.

Mrs. Edwin Munson, Mrs. Samuel N. Moran, Miss Catherine Munyon, and Miss Mabel Herrick were in town Thursday in Mrs. Munson's automobile.

Earle Holmes, Miss Ruth Snow, Fred Holmes and Arthur Milhan were calling on friends in Hartford Thursday.

Death of Francis Champion. Francis Champion, 53, died at his home on Myrtle avenue, Thursday afternoon, after a few weeks' illness. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Champion, and three children. The funeral will be held at the Baptist church Sunday, the pastor, Rev. B. D. Remington, will preach at both services.

Clara Barton of East Hampton was visiting friends in town Thursday.

STONINGTON

Death of Mrs. Phoebe Tripp Shilling—Firemen's Fair Opened.

After a few days' illness, Mrs. Phoebe Tripp Shilling died Thursday at her home in Elm street. She was born in Providence, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tripp. Mrs. Shilling was 74 years old. She was with the railroad company when the Stonington line of steamers made Stonington the home port. Mrs. Shilling is survived by her husband and daughter.

The contract for the construction of an addition to the town hall has been awarded to a New London firm. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Freedman will return from their wedding trip Saturday.

The fair of the Stonington Steam Fire Engine company was successfully opened in the town hall Friday night. Health Officer Congdon declared that the town of Stonington is freed from infantile paralysis.

Dr. and Mrs. James H. Weeks have guests Mrs. Edward Genung and daughter Edith.

ADVANCING EAST
AFRICAN BATTLE LINE

More Radical Changes There Than in the European Countries.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 15.—During the past month the battle front in East Africa has been moving more radically than in any other theater of the world war. The British troops have been pushing the German colonial and native troops southward over an extent of territory which if carried forward in the same degree eastward from Verdun would bring the allies to within 100 miles of the gates of Berlin. If the Italians were to advance as far north from Tripoli as the British have advanced southward from Muansa on Lake Victoria, Nyanza, Vienna would be in the hands of General Carducci. If the Russians could have effected such a Westward drive during the same period as the British have effected in East Africa, the Russian front would be in the hands of the German army.

In the latter part of July General Smuts, commander of the British troops, was reported to be attacking the German forces along a line extending from the coast of Tanganyika to the interior of the island of Pemba, to Korogwe, some fifty miles inland on the railroad line extending into the Usambara province. Another British force was operating around Muansa. By the middle of August the British forces had advanced to the German coast at Lake Tanganyika, 700 miles distant. It is nearly 300 miles in an air-line from the German coast to the British advance. The British advance is a sea route, from Tanganyika to Zanzibar, and from Zanzibar to the German coast. The British advance is a sea route, from Tanganyika to Zanzibar, and from Zanzibar to the German coast. The British advance is a sea route, from Tanganyika to Zanzibar, and from Zanzibar to the German coast.

1-2 2.24 1-4. Maine Step was second. The attendance during the four days of the fair was not so large as in previous years, but there were fully as many attractions as in any preceding fair. It is believed that the unauthorized announcements that children and women would be allowed to go to the ground was the cause of the falling off in attendance.

Local Laconics.

Mrs. Everett A. Kingsley and children are on a visit to relatives in New Brunswick, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Aloi will leave Tuesday for Tampa, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Walcott, who have been here on a visit to Mrs. Walcott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ahern, are now enroute to their home in Crittenden, Arkansas.

Harry Stillman, of Westerly, a chief machinist mate aboard the United States cruiser Memphis, wrecked by a tidal wave at San Domingo, was among the members of the crew who escaped injury.

Louis A. Babcock, of Westerly, first officer of steamship Pastore, of the United Fruit line, was quartermaster of the liner Congress, which was wrecked in the Pacific when the vessel was being delivered to the owners in San Francisco. The trip was made around Cape Horn.

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None Better		Finest Granulated SUGAR		13 lbs. 25c	
1-8 bbl. sack \$1.15		15 lbs. \$1.00 with \$1.00 Grocery Order		OUR VERY BEST CREAMERY BUTTER	
Fresh Little Pig SHOULDERS		16 lbs. \$1.00 with \$2.00 Grocery Order		1b. 37c	
lb. 15c		17 lbs. \$1.00 with \$3.00 Grocery Order		3 lbs. \$1.05	
Straight Slice ROUND STEAK, lb. 19c		20 lbs. \$1.00 with \$4.00 Grocery Order		CHOICE LAMB CHOPS, 2 lbs.	
Shoulder Fresh Beef For Cuts		Pulverized SUGAR 2 lbs. 17c		29c	
cut from fine Western Beef		Fine Rib ROAST BEEF		Boned Rolled No Solid Meat Waste	
lb. 15c		You will pay 35c lb. for the same Lamb at other markets		lb. 24c	
Fresh Pork To Roast		Sugar Cured CORNED BEEF		Plate Pieces, lb. 12c	
Whole or Half Strips		Brisket Pieces, lb. 16c		Rump Pieces, lb. 18c	
Cured Smoked SHOULDERS, lb. 16c		Nicer Cured Bacon Whole or Half Strips		lb. 23c	
Hamburger STEAK, 2 lbs. 29c		FRESH EGGS, dozen 34c		Whole Milk CHEESE	
Fat Salt PORK, lb. 16c		Swift's Oleomargarine		lb. 17c-20c-25c	
Salt RIBS, lb. 5c		Cooking COMPOUND		lb. 14c	
Fresh Plate Beef Cut from Lean Steer Beef		PURE LARD, lb. 17c		3 lbs. 50c	
lb. 10c		Queen OLIVES, pint. . . 15c		Stuffed OLIVES, pint 18c	

FRUITS and VEGETABLES		DAIRY DEPARTMENT		GROCERY DEPARTMENT	
PIE APPLES, 4 quarts 15c		Whole Milk CHEESE		Yellow CORN MEAL	
ALBERTA PEACHES		lb. 21c		8 lbs. 25c	
3 qts. 25c		Best We Had This Season		Mohican Pure CHILI SAUCE, full pint bottle 25c	
Cooking ONIONS		lb. 17c-20c-25c		Sunbeam New Pack SHRIMP, wet or dry	
3 lbs. 14c		Cooking COMPOUND		No. 1 1/2 tin. 21c	
Mealy Cooking POTATOES, peck. . . 40c		PURE LARD, lb. 17c		Mohican Pure JELLY	
CRANBERRIES		3 lbs. 50c		tumbler. 13c, 2 for 25c	
First this season—2 qts. 25c		Queen OLIVES, pint. . . 15c		TOILET PAPER	
PEARS for Stewing		Stuffed OLIVES, pint 18c		Pekin Brand, 5 oz. rolls 3c	
quart 5c		KRAFT CHEESE, tin 11c		Wisteria Shaker SALT	
GRAPE FRUIT, 3 for 25c		COTTOLINE, can. 25c		No. 2 package. 9c	
TOKAY GRAPES		FRESH FROM OUR OWN BAKERY DAILY		FAIRY SOAP	
2 lbs. 25c		Mohican Lady Cake		10 4 1/2 cakes for. . . . 40c	
lb. 20c		Something New		Mohican CORNSTARCH	
Sponge Cake, loaf. 10c		Russian Tarts, doz. . . . 20c		1 lb. package. 6c	
Corn Muffins, doz. 12c		Cinnamon Rolls, doz. . . 10c		Mohican BAKING SODA	
Frankfort Rolls, doz. . . 10c		Tea Rings, each. 10c		1 lb. package. 7c	
Coffee Cake, each. . . . 10c		Coffee Cake, each. . . . 10c		York State PEA BEANS	
HOT BAKED BEANS		HOT BROWN BREAD		quart 19c 3 quarts 50c	
quart 15c		loaf 6c-8c			

of whom are British Indians. Baganova occupies an honored place in the annals of East Africa because it was the starting point for the expeditions of exploration headed by such famous travelers and scientists as Burton, Stanley, Speke and Grant.

To the west of Kilimanjaro, on the German colonial railway is the large native town of Tabora with a population of 40,000. This place seems destined to become the chief commercial center of the interior. In addition to its present railway connection with the coast and the Tanganyika coast, it is on the caravan route and proposed railway line to the Victoria Nyanza territory, while another railroad is being planned to connect the south, extending into Rhodesia, and Portuguese East Africa. Furthermore, it is the chief town of the Wanyamwezi natives, who as a whole are peaceful agriculturists, inhabiting the richly wooded plateau lying between the two great rift-valleys of East Africa. These people were mentioned by the Portuguese as far back as the 16th century when the country was known as the Land of the Moors. The Wanyamwezi are Bantu-negroes whose distinctive features are long noses and curly rather than woolly hair. Among their peculiar methods of personal adornment are tattooing, the filing of the upper incisor teeth and the loading of arms and legs with brass wire rings. The men of the tribe watch the poultry and the flocks and are making a history with the bee-hives in their huts, and the insects prove a most effective defense against intruders as well as a source of food.

PHILIPPINES AS PERMANENT TERRITORY OF UNITED STATES
Advocated at Recent Banquet of the Manila Merchants' Association.

Manila, Sept. 15.—The inclusion of the Philippines in the permanent territory of the United States, first as a territory and later as a state, was advocated at the recent annual banquet of the Manila Merchants' Association by Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the board of directors of the United States Steel Corporation, who is making a brief stay in the Philippines, in the course of a vacation trip to the Orient.

"As a member of the business fraternity," he said, "I dare insist that the

great majority of the business men of the United States are not favorable to the administration or settlement of the affairs of the Philippine Islands solely for the purpose annex with the aim of satisfying the demands of American politicians.

"We recognize the rights and the welfare of the Filipinos and we know that the large majority at least, including the most intelligent and influential have a feeling of sincere friendship for the United States and are grateful for what has been done for the islands. We are making history with the hope that what we do will entitle us to the respect and approval of the entire world in the years to come."

"And then it is worthy of comment that private capital of citizens of the United States in large amounts has been invested in the Philippines during the last decade. The islands could not have been developed except by the expenditure of immense sums of money; and capital would not have come to the country, nor would it remain except upon condition that the stability of the government and also the friendly attitude of the inhabitants are both assured. Perhaps what is needed at the present time for the Philippines is the confidence of foreign investors in the stability of their investments will be protected."

The speaker then urged the Philippines seriously to consider the question whether it would not be to their best interests, to remain permanently under the American flag. He spoke of the possibilities of disaster for an independent government, and closed by declaring he thought it would be mutually beneficial if at some future date the United States had a territory or state, designated as "Philippines."

TEMPTING OFFERS MADE TO YOUNG DUTCH PROFESSORS
To Recruit the Staff of the Proposed Flemish University.

The Hague, Netherlands, Sept. 15.—Having failed to recruit the staff of the proposed Flemish university at Ghent among native professors, Germany is making every effort to persuade young Dutch professors to take posts in the new institution. The most tempting offers are being made.

Calgary, Alberta, owns its electric lighting system.

FIFTEEN CASES OF CHOLERA ON A J